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darkies to him, "Rally! rally!" and so the d-d scoundrels." Although the soundings were so serious, the scene was funny not to laugh at.

After the flag of one of the negro clubs, in the race to the swamp door his standard, and ran some ten feet before he could stop himself. He at once turned round back in the face of the advancing while picked up his flag and made off with it.

LATER.

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It is a well understood fact that the first shot fired from a negro procession on Capital Hill, in Washington, D.C., was a shot fired from a Democratic press box which caused the death of a young man. When the shot was fired, the Democrats stood on the defensive, sprung out their mules, and each man took his own ground. About one hundred shots were fired from either side during a term of ten minutes. The negroes then, who had already begun displaying their arms in every direction.

One young white man, according to engineer No. 6, is stated to have killed a negro reporter saw the dead bodies of four colored persons, two of whom are full-blooded negroes, one a light mulatto, and the fourth a mulatto boy about 12 years old, whose neck or throat

The boy had no marks of violence, and blood upon his person. There is a rumor that a white boy, also aged fifteen, was mortally wounded, and was found dying on the tracks. This is reported that a white man killed at a late hour on Canal street, but this there is no positive information.

Crowds of people were on every corner from St. Charles street to Basin, all intensely excited, and seemingly awaiting further developments. It was publicly stated on the streets that not a white man belonging to the French party could be found; that they all got together in the middle of the night,

The city and its people were intensely excited last night. Collisions occurred in different portions. At the late hour at which this is written, there is a report of disturbance in the Fourth District. The cavalry passed at a sharp trot. One white man is reported killed in the Fourth.

A SHARP GAME.

A New Orleans Banker Swindled of \$15,000.

[From the New Orleans Times, Oct. 25.]

About two weeks ago a solid looking gentleman, with clerical air and business habits, arrived in this city from New Orleans.

ed by a good lady. His visit was ac-
cidentally directed to a young, high-toned
popular merchant who lately advertised in the
New York papers for a partner with capital
engage in a lucrative branch of business.
There was an air about the newcomer pec-
uliarly attractive, a frankness of purpose,
a sense of all that was right and a sym-
metric office habit, and an exhibition of busi-
ness and aptitude well calculated to impress
even the most wary. He stated to our young
friend, in the shortest and most business-like
terms, that he was out of employment
had seen the advertisement, examined the re-
quirements, and—much to her surprise, liked it, concluded
to go in, and—here he paused, as if his capital
was too limited, but it was a few minutes
later that he stated thirty-five thousand dollars about

change, a slice of fifteen thousand dollars—airily due, gilt-edged, etc., and—there they were. If upon reflection our friend thought they could make terms, why so? If on reflection he thought differently, why so, also? It was hardly he, but the agent, the man of the morning. The day had been so full of business, so full of the day's work, so full of the day's appointments to the appointed time, the commercial candidate. Victim had decided to entertain the proposition favorably. Here again the systematic merchant shone forth. Of course a proper knowledge of each other's private and commercial standing was the necessary condition. Those had already satisfied themselves upon those points with regard to this New Orleans friend before they had agreed to come here—trust him for that—he no longer came to refer to his own credit.

all—there they were in the shape of about fifty letters, all speaking in the highest tone of the bearer, and all stamped with the printed headings of the writers' firms, some of which were among the most prominent in New York City. As the letters were opened, it was decided to pile Pelton on Ossa by the production of one from Gov. Fenton, of New York, exhibiting the closest intimacy with that official, and a confidence in his integrity, capacity and honesty, rather rare for the diamond age we live in. The greatest apparent latitude was allowed for the construction of the most surprising any side could possibly suggest, and the result was played so neatly and unobtrusively that it was played that not the least suspicion was awakened either in the mind of the victim nor the older and more distrustful

Unlike the course of true love, this union ran smooth; the bans were published under the name of the publisher; and, an expensive effort was engaged in opposition to the publisher as an imprudent merchant, whose business was ruined. They were further outraged by New York insisting upon having the office carpeted. He intended to introduce "new wrinkles" in business here; he saw no reason why he shouldn't be comfortable. He did introduce "new wrinkles" and became decidedly comfortable, as follows: After a day or two he developed, he manifested his readiness to enter the bank and arrange the financial basis of his business. Thither the parties went; the letters were here exhibited anew, the bills of exchange sealed and deposited, he

business. The president was equal to his high position, thoroughly posted upon the mysteries of finance, and was a reliable dealer, personally acquainted with some of the correspondents of the bank, as well as with the nature of its business. He speedily established a confidence in the mind of the astute financier, far more profitable, as afterwards proved, than that with the young man. Before leaving he showed a letter from the New York bank standing, and requested the President to question the man whom the fifteen thousand-dollar note, if requested by the bearer, and draw at sight, with commissions and exchange, as usual. He stated that he might probably require the money in a few days, and would they accept

President was disposed to do so, but recently he had been asked to pass up the credit of the firm. This did not jibe with our friends' business ideas, so he couldn't think of this, particularly before they were fairly under way. So, no, it was a private matter. If he received it must be on those conditions, and he smiled happily, careless, shrewd smile, the free man's smile, as well known in bank circles and which was not a new one to his heart, who would only be "too happy to oblige."

At the conclusion of this pleasing interview the two partners strolled up the street. New York's wife he said was anxious to see Molière, he believed he would take a run over there. New Orleans assented. He would

He came to the office at 11 o'clock sharp. Would he be a few minutes late. Certainly part would, and he did. He waited the whole day. He is waiting yet, and the enterprising merchant has yet to make his appearance either at the office or anywhere else. He did go somewhere, but before going he visited the bank and the bank president, the president, and walked off with the fifteen thousand dollars. No suspicion was aroused for two days, when inquiries sent over the wires revealed the fact that the letters and bills of exchange were all forgeries, and the dashing New Yorker a swindler. That firm has since been dissolved. That bank president has grown wiser and kinder and more prudent. The stock sharer at Vienna then, of course,

A FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.
Fail of a Church—One Man Fatally Injured and Another Wounded.
 From the Burlington (Iowa) Hawk Eye, Oct. 6.
 A frightful accident occurred at the new German Methodist Church, at the corner of Seventh and Washington streets, about two o'clock on Saturday afternoon, when

They engaged in elevating the spire, which some forty feet long and weighs about three thousand pounds. The spire, or steeple, has been built inside of the tower, and was being raised by means of blocks and tackle. When it was up to within three feet of the top, a hook on an iron block broke and the whole concern came down with crushing weight, going through two or three tiers of joists to the ground. Mr. John L. Hill, of the firm of Hill & Dittmer, carpenters, was inside the tower and near the base of the spire when the accident occurred. He was terribly bruised, but escaped without a broken bone. He says some thirty or forty feet from the ground he hung there for five or more minutes, before assistance could be got to him he fell striking among the rubbish below. He

He was bleeding and bruised about the head and chest, and it was thought also that the base of his skull was cracked.

Armatrust, a black workman, was standing in the corner of the room on the ground, holding a rope, when the accident occurred. How he escaped with his life seems almost a miracle. He was stunned and bruised somewhat, but unless some internal injury should develop itself he will probably recover.

Bill was lying, had recovered his consciousness and was able to speak at seven o'clock. His physicians, however, had little or no hope of his recovery. He is an industrious, worthy man, living on South Seventeenth street, having a wife and two children.

The iron hook that broke had a flaw in it.

Weather clear. River unchanged. Thermometer 32.

MINNESOTA, Oct. 27.
River rises 2 inches. Weather clear. Thermometer 32.

THE RIVER WAS about stationary at this point for the last 24 hours. The water is 43 inches in the chute, and 3 feet on port side of the chute. The water is 3 feet 6 inches at Cincinnati. The Menominee is also reported to be about stationary. The weather is clear and pleasant. Business moderately brisk.

The Palestine, an elegant light-draught schooner, arrived from New Orleans at 10 o'clock.

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The Memphis Appeal of Tuesday says:
The Virginia epidemic in fishing over the last two weeks has been the most serious in the history of the Chesapeake Bay. The fish are nearly all gone, and the water with parts of the men of the Virginia. The fish are nearly all gone, and the water with parts of the men of the Virginia. The fish are nearly all gone, and the water with parts of the men of the Virginia. The fish are nearly all gone, and the water with parts of the men of the Virginia.

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